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RESPONSE TO SECOND RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the restriction requirement made in the action mailed October 16, 2008, applicants elect Group 7 for examination. Group 7 encompasses claims 1-4 and 6. The election is made without traverse.

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